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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Siemens VDO Automotive CorporationApplication No./Patent No.: 10/644,019 Filed/Issue Date: August 20, 2003

Entitled:

Siemens VDO Automotive Corporation, a Delaware Corporation  
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Title

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		First Named Inventor	Wieczorek	
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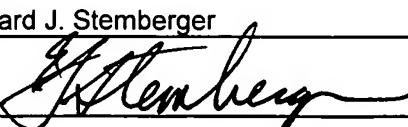
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